



# Trailhead District MB Forum 2010

January 9<sup>th</sup> & January 30<sup>th</sup>  
Resurrection Church  
13720 Roe

Forum Schedule	
Instructor/Adult check in ADD/DELETE Line begins	8:00 – 8:30a
First class	8:30 – 10:30a
Break	10:30 – 10:45a
Second class	10:45 – 12:45

## Dear Unit Leader,

Attached you will find **DRAFT** class rosters and a map to Resurrection Church. All adults and scouts should enter from the South door, near the Chapel. You may send these rosters to your troop, but realize that they could change. Please share the information below with your troop.

- ➔ We are issuing wrist bands for all adults again this year, including merit badge counselors and unit volunteers. Adults not wearing wrist bands will be asked to check in or leave the premises.
- ➔ **The attached rosters are preliminary.** These rosters will be posted on the South wall of the Registration Area (Main Level) as well as in the Central Troop Area (Room 300, Lower level). Scouts should use the posted rosters in determining which room to go to.
- ➔ To reduce hallway congestion, ALL Troop Management tables will be found in the Central Troop Area (Room 300) for 2010. Direct scouts to follow signs and the “feet” on the floor to find the Central Troop Area.
- ➔ All unit leaders and adult volunteers must check in at the registration desk at the start of each day for their assignments
- ➔ Merit badge cards for each Scout will be provided to unit leaders at check-in.
- ➔ There will be a Lost & Found box near the Registration tables.

## Important Notes About Merit Badge Assignments

- Due to low enrollment the **Dentistry** merit badge has been cancelled and Scouts who have registered for this badge have been placed in their alternate choices, if possible.
- **Weather** was originally planned as a ONE Saturday merit badge. It is STILL a ONE Saturday Merit Badge however scouts registered for this Merit Badge will see themselves enrolled in it for TWO Saturdays (this is an error). It is recommended that scouts attend Weather the FIRST Saturday, then go through the ADD line on January 30th to add another ONE Saturday Merit badge for that day.
- If a scout is not currently registered, or does not favor the merit badges he was scheduled for, he may arrive at 8:00 the first morning of the MB Forum and sign up for other available merit badges.
- If a scout is signed up for a TWO Saturday Merit Badge and does not show up for the FIRST Saturday of classes, he will be dropped from that class by the second Saturday.
- If a scout is dropped from a Merit badge or can only attend ONE Saturday, he may change his schedule to attend any of the one Saturday merit badges (these include: **Crime Prevention, Fingerprinting, Family Life, Public Speaking, Music, Reading, Sports, Weather, Coin Collecting, Scholarship**)

## Why Did a Scout Not Get Their First or Second Choices?

- If a Scout may selected a “normal-2 day” merit badge (e.g., Personal Management) as his first choice, and an “all day, both days” merit badge (e.g., First Aid or Emergency Prep) as his second choice he will not get assigned his second choice. In this case his first choice was fulfilled, along with his third choice, if possible.
- Other conflicts may occur because not all merit badges are offered at both times (8:30 and 10:45). E.g., Electronics is offered only at 8:30 because the same counselor teaches a different MB at 10:45.
- If the Scout were to choose as his first and second choices MB classes that meet at the same time, he will not be assigned his second choice, and an attempt will be made to satisfy his third or fourth choices.

We look forward to seeing you at Merit Badge Forum. If you have questions prior to the forum, please e-mail me directly at [foster188@everestkc.net](mailto:foster188@everestkc.net).

Yours in Scouting, The 2010 Merit Badge Forum staff, Michelle Foster, MB Forum Director

## Map to Church of the Resurrection

